

SENATE RESOLUTION 194
By Wilder

A RESOLUTION to commend David Jarod Wilder for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, David Jarod Wilder is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role as a legislative intern for Lieutenant Governor John S. Wilder; Mr. Wilder's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wilder attended St. George's Christian School and is a graduate of Briarcrest Christian High School, where he was voted Most Likely to Succeed by his peers; after high school, he attended Christian Brothers University on a tennis and academic scholarship and Mississippi State University, where he was one of the most outstanding members of Kappa Alpha Order; and

WHEREAS, now a highly regarded student at the University of Memphis, Mr. Wilder will graduate this summer with a degree in Political Science, having achieved academic success while participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Jarod is a communicant of St. George's Episcopal Church; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further his studies, Mr. Wilder brought his many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2004 session of the One Hundred Third General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2004 legislative session, Mr. Wilder has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern while serving in the office of Lieutenant Governor Wilder, his justifiably proud grandfather; and

WHEREAS, his many accomplishments are also a great source of pride for his parents, David and Patti Wilder, and his sister Whitney; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Wilder has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend David Jarod Wilder for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Lieutenant Governor John S. Wilder and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.